

ITALY SURRENDERS

Plans Ready
For European
Invasion And
Japs' Defeat

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
Washington, Sept. 8 (AP)—Allied preparations for smashing Germany's European fortress—including an invasion of northwestern Europe—are virtually complete, Gen. George C. Marshall disclosed today, and plans for decisive triumphs over Japan are well advanced.

"The end is not yet in sight," the Army chief of staff said of history's greatest war. "BUT VICTORY IS CERTAIN."

That the long-heralded "second front" was plotted as long ago as the Casablanca conference in January was made clear by his disclosure that "the plans for air and other operations in northwestern Europe were reviewed and confirmed" at that meeting.

INVINCIBLE ALLIES

Marshall's conclusion as to the invincibility of Allied arms was set forth in an extraordinary report to Secretary of War Stimson in which he reviewed the early months of heart-breaking defeat suffered because of inadequate forces, revealed the swift measures taken to stem Axis aggression, told of historic decisions made in Casablanca and Washington, and showed how the enemy had at last been forced on the defensive road to defeat.

COMPLETE BLOCKADE

"Strategically the enemy in Europe has been reduced to the defensive and the blockade is complete," Marshall declared. "In the Pacific the Japanese are being steadily ejected or rather eliminated from their conquered territory."

"In the south and southwest Pacific two facts are plainly evident to the Japanese command as well as to the world at large: our progress may seem slow but it is steady and determined, and it has been accompanied by a terrific destruction of enemy planes and surface vessels. This attrition must present an appalling problem for the enemy high command."

"In brief," he said, "the strength of the enemy is steadily declining while the combined power of the United Nations is rapidly increasing, more rapidly with each succeeding month."

HASTEN VICTORY

"There can be but one result and every resource we possess is being employed to hasten the hour of victory without undue sacrifice of the lives of our men."

Marshall divided the war into five phases, dating the fifth and last phase from the start of the offensive against Guadalcanal last August. The first two phases from the fall of France to the German attack on Russia he had dealt with in his biennial report of June 30, 1941.

In his present report, dated June 30, 1943, but brought up to date by footnotes, he deals with the last three periods, beginning with the full mobilization in this country after the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor and continuing through months of defensive warfare to the

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Daily Report

On Bond Sales During Drive

A daily tabulation of the progress of the Third War Bond drive in Adams county, compiled by the Adams County War Finance Committee, will be published in The Gettysburg Times during the 21 days of the campaign.

All workers have been requested by Edmund W. Thomas, county chairman of the War Finance committee, to report to their committee or community chairman at the close of each day, the amount of war bonds they sold that day. The chairman will report to Leighton C. Taylor, chairman of Community Events, who will make a daily tabulation. This tabulation will be published in The Gettysburg Times.

Names of committees, committee members, banks and other issuing agents making the sales will not be included in the tabulation. The daily report will be the total sales as of that day in the county. This is being done to enable Adams countians to note the progress being made in the county to raise the quota of \$2,134,100.

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With Honor to Ourselves and Profit to Our Patrons

Good Evening
Adolf, 45,000,000 Italians can't be wrong... You're next!

Read by Nearly Everybody in Adams County

PRICE THREE CENTS

MILITARY ARMISTICE GIVEN

**CURFEW WOULD
CONFLICT WITH
JUVENILE ACT,
COUNCIL HEARS**

Gettysburg borough council at its September session, Tuesday evening, heard from Borough Solicitor E. V. Buleit that the curfew ordinance laid before council last month for consideration "violates the provisions of the juvenile court act" and therefore could not be enforced.

Final action on the proposed curfew, selection of two citizens to fill first and second ward vacancies in council and action on a request for a special revision of the ordinance covering digging permit rates in town were listed for a special meeting of the borough fathers to be called next Monday evening.

Mr. Buleit told council that several weeks ago he submitted a written opinion to another borough considering a curfew ordinance similar to the one proposed here and in that opinion he held that the juvenile court act would thereby conflict with the borough measure under study. He added that a week later the city solicitor in Erie, Pa., submitted a similar opinion. In the face of that situation the local ordinance committee did not meet to take any action in preparation for Tuesday evening's meeting, he said.

Report on Tiber

Burgess Fred G. Pfeffer said that he had conferred with Judge W. C. Sheely on the curfew matter and found that the local jurist had some "very definite" opinions on the question which he offered to discuss with borough councilmen. It was indicated Tuesday evening that Judge Sheely will be invited to the special council session next Monday.

No names were mentioned as successors to former councilmen Wilbur J. Stalsmith and Charles W. Sterner, Jr., but President H. M. Oyler said the matter will be held over until next week in the hope that both positions may be filled at the same time.

Borough Engineer LeRoy H. Winebrenner, reporting on progress being made in the Tiber cleaning project, said that the power shovel already has cleared 2,300 feet with a 1,500 foot yet to be done. The shovel work cost \$926.50 plus \$50 for a bulldozer used in early operations.

Gas Company Request

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Suspension or revision of the borough ordinance covering digging permit rates was asked of council by H. H. Miller, local manager of the Gettysburg Gas corporation; Gerald E. Wilson, district manager, and Robert Welsh, foreman.

Suggests Contract

The utility men explained that a complete inspection is about to be made of the company's distribution system here to detect and repair line leaks. Test holes will be bored over each service line—three for each long line—to permit the making of the bar test for the presence of gas.

Because of the large scale on which the excavations and openings will be made, the company has asked some modification of the present rate of \$1 per test hole and \$6 per square yard in concrete and \$3 per square yard on secondary streets for excavations. Restoration of the streets was promised.

Up to Utility Committee

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Weather Forecast

Cooler this afternoon; somewhat cooler south portion tonight and Thursday morning.

BUY WAR BONDS



THIRD WAR LOAN

Here And There
News Collected At Random

Tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock

whistles will blow and bells will

ring for one minute throughout

Adams county.

It will not mean that an armistice has been signed, an air raid alarm or a general fire alarm. But it will mean that Adams county has officially

opened its Third War Bond drive to raise \$2,134,100 towards financing the war to an early and complete Allied victory.

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**ARMY MAPPING
PROJECT OPENS
IN THIS AREA**

Gettysburg has been selected as field headquarters for the War Mapping project which the U. S. Forest Service of the Department of Agriculture is undertaking for the Army.

The map making will be carried on by skilled engineers who are beginning to arrive from a similar project recently completed on the west coast. Two trucks with survey crews and equipment have already reached the Chambersburg area where some of the field work was to have started on Labor Day. Other crew members are enroute to take up their stations which are located at many points surrounding Gettysburg.

Requires Nine Months

Actual compilation and preparation of the map sheets is to be done at the Lee-Meade Inn which has been leased to serve as headquarters office. About 30 engineers will be located at the office and about twice that number will be engaged in the field surveys covering a period of the next nine months.

Local business men have been operating in the details necessary to start the rush job and already a number of the newcomers have found homes for their families, including J. E. King, project engineer who will be in charge. Mr. King is expected to arrive from San Francisco within the near future.

The project will include mapping of the south central part of Pennsylvania and will extend west as far as Fort Loudon, Franklin county.

**Child Welfare
Committee Meets**

Thirteen members of the advisory committee of the Adams County Child Welfare Services met in regular monthly session Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the court house. Rev. Dr. Dwight F. Putman, chairman, presided.

The principal item of business was a lengthy discussion as to the proper ways and means of interesting Adams countians to become foster parents and the establishment of foster homes in this area.

Mrs. Elizabeth Grieb, secretary and social worker for the Services, said that foster homes will be needed in the early future for four children.

Anyone interested in cooperating with the services will telephone Mrs. Grieb at her office in the Murphy building or call in person. The office is open daily.

The next meeting of the committee will be held October 5th at the court house.

\$186 STATE CHECK

Gettysburg received \$186 from the state treasurer's office during the week ending September 3 as its portion of the unemployment compensation fund. The state disbursed \$70,083 during that week.

**CADETS TO SING
AIR CORPS SONG
IN SQ. TONIGHT**

A massed chorus of more than 450 voices will sing the popular Army Air Corps song in center square tonight as a feature of the open-air assembly immediately following the parade scheduled for 7:30 o'clock.

Captain John R. Coshey, commanding officer of the 55th College Training Detachment, (Aircr) Army Air Corps at Gettysburg college, today announced that the aviation students, in appreciation of the many courtesies accorded the men by Gettysburgians, will sing several verses and the chorus of their Air Corps song.

Parade Route

The parade will move up Chambersburg street to the square; south on Baltimore street; east on Middle street; north on South Street and west on York street to the square. All those participating in the parade will assemble in the square for a brief open-air assembly.

Burgess Pfeffer has prohibited parking in the first block of Chambersburg street and Baltimore

street.

The order of the parade follows:

Marshal Guise.

Blue and Gray band.

American Legion and Sons of Veterans color guard.

Adams County State Guard Reserve (Minutemen).

Boy Scouts.

Bigerville band.

United Spanish War Veterans Color Guard.

Nurse's Aides.

Production Corps of the Red Cross.

Girl Scouts.

Army Air Corps band.

55th College Training Detachment.

Open Air Assembly

When the parade enters the square from York street the State Guard unit will mass in the southwest corner of the square. The Air Corps Detachment will mass in the northeast corner and other participating units will occupy the remaining space.

The Blue and Gray band will open the open-air assembly with the National anthem. The massed chorus of Air Corps Cadets will then sing the Army Air Corps song.

Edmund W. Thomas, chairman of the Adams county War Finance committee, will introduce Major John D. Hartigan, commanding officer of the 32nd College Training Detachment, Carlisle, who will deliver a brief address.

**Former College
Student Killed**

Word has been received by Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Holland, Red Lion, their son, Lieut. Richard M. Holland, attached to the Air Corps Materiel command, Chicago, has met with accidental death. No details were given in the communication general of the Midwest area.

Lieut. Holland was a graduate of Red Lion high school, class of 1935. He attended Gettysburg college for two years and then attended the University of Pennsylvania, where he received his A.B. and Master's degrees.

Lieut. Holland received aviation training at Miami Beach, Fla., where he attended Officers' Candidate school and received his rating as second lieutenant. Before being assigned to Chicago he was at Detroit where he served as an expediter in the Ordnance division.

CHANGE MASTERS

The county court has appointed Eugene V. Buleit, Esq., as master in the divorce action of Charles R. Trimmer, near New Oxford, against Mary Jane Trimmer, Hanover. Infidelity is charged. J. Francis Yake, Jr., Esq., who had previously been selected as master of the case had asked permission to withdraw.

**ALL HOSTILITIES CEASE;
GERMANS MAY FIGHT
FOR NORTHERN AREA**

By EDWARD KENNEDY

Allied Headquarters in North Africa, Sept. 8 (AP) — General Dwight D. Eisenhower announced today the unconditional surrender of the Italian armed forces.

The commander of the Allied forces said he had granted Italy a military armistice.

Thus the minor member of the Berlin-Tokyo-Rome Axis met the stipulation that has been insisted upon by President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill—unconditional surrender and nothing less.

The announcement came as dispirited Italian troops by the hundreds surrendered to British and Canadian troops advancing up the Calabrian peninsula, where the Allies landed last Friday on the heels of a 38-day Sicilian victory which sent the Germans fleeing to the mainland.

The Allied bridgehead in Italy

NEW DELAY IN COMPLETION OF SHUTZ ACTION

A new cause of delay in the proceedings that are intended to lead to final confirmation of a schedule of distribution of remaining assets of Howe W. and Miriam Gerth Shutz, former proprietors of Cross Keys inn, has been raised by federal and state exceptions which have been taken to the referee's amended schedule.

In the amended schedule, which was handed down by Referee Walter H. Compton on August 23, the claims of the federal government for \$2,022 in unpaid social security taxes and the state for more than \$1,100 in unemployment compensation levies were disallowed by Compton. The state and federal tax claims were allowed in the original distribution to which counsel for C. H. Bittinger, Berwick township, excepted.

The first distribution plan was presented by Mr. Compton on July 24. Bittinger's attorneys successfully took exceptions to that plan and the amended schedule was announced more than two weeks ago with a 10-day period for the filing of further exceptions.

New Hearing Monday

Now Mr. Compton has designated next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock as the time for a hearing on the state and federal objections. The hearing will be held in the referee's office in Harrisburg.

Had the most recent exceptions not been filed, the account was to have been confirmed finally and the trustee, B. E. Bixler, would have been directed to make distribution under the terms of the amended schedule for the doing out of about \$45,000 to a handful of the many creditors who have been said to hold claims, secured or unsecured, of an additional \$100,000 that will go unpaid.

WILL RECEIVE CONTRIBUTIONS

Thirty-two "depositories" throughout Adams county have been named by the county honor roll committee to accept donations to the fund being raised to construct a county honor roll on center square containing the names of all the men and women from the county in the armed services.

About \$2,000 will be needed to construct the honor roll to be dedicated November 11 by the American Legion. Contributions to the fund can be given to any of the depositories named. The men selected will in turn forward the contributions to the county committee headed by Dr. R. D. Wickerham, it was stated.

The list of persons named to solicit and receive contributions toward the honor roll includes:

Bendersville, Lloyd W. Kuhn; Bigerville, J. D. Miller; Fairfield, Robert Martin; Arendtsville, William A. Raffensperger; Cashtown, Charles E. Kuhn; Orrtanna, Ross King; Hunterstown, Edward Taughbaugh; New Chester, Edward Snyder; Hampton, Julius Schimmel; Heidersburg, John Black; York Springs, William Weldner; East Berlin, Dr. Eugene Elgin; Abbottstown, W. W. Hafer; New Oxford, H. B. Flaherty; Littlestown, Amidee Eckert and Stanley Stover; McSherrystown, F. V. Topper; Brushtown, Charles A. Myers; Conewago, Henry Brady; Bonneauville, Leo Storm; Table Rock, Luther Plank; Gardners, Grover Myers; Idaville, the Rev. P. J. Horick; Mt. Tabor, the Rev. George Snyder; Aspers, Mrs. Clyde Plank; Greenstone, C. A. Wills; Flora Dale, Miss Sarah Black; Guernsey, Eckert's store; Gettysburg, First National bank, the Gettysburg National bank, Blocher's Jewelry store and People's Drug store.

The list of depositories was arranged by a sub-committee of the county honor roll group including, C. Arthur Brane and Edward Culver.

Birth Announcements

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hoffmeyer, Gettysburg R. 2, announce the birth of a daughter, Rochelle Anne, Sunday at the York city hospital. Mrs. Hoffmeyer is the former Janet Baumgardner, Bendersville.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Elcker, Bigerville, announce the birth of a daughter at the Warner hospital Tuesday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. David Sanders, Fairfield R. 1, at the Waynesboro hospital Monday.

Navy Recruiter Here

W. G. Gutekunst, petty officer first class, of the U. S. Navy Recruiting Station, York, will be at the local post office Thursday morning to accept applications for the regular Navy and Navy Reserve, Seabees and WAVES.

Preliminary physical examinations will be given anyone interested.

POSTPONE MEETING

The meeting of the local fire company, originally scheduled for this evening, has been postponed until next Wednesday, September 15, to allow firemen to participate in the War bond parade and rally to be held tonight, the fire company president, James B. Aumen, has announced.

Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or Bigerville 8

Henry M. Scharf, manager of the Hotel Gettysburg, is attending a conference of the Hotel Industry Advisory Committee to the WPB with the WPB and the OPA in Washington today.

A surprise farewell party was held recently at the home of Mrs. William Stansbury in honor of his sister, Miss Margaret Heyser, who will enter Garfield Memorial hospital Washington, D. C., as a U. S. Nurse Cadet. Miss Heyser received many gifts.

Those present were Miss Helen Shilds, Miss Kathleen Everly, Miss Betty Rebert, Miss Nadine Small, Miss Mary Lou Martin, Miss Mary Null, Miss Ruth Martin, Miss Elizabeth Gallagher, Mrs. George Johanningmeier, Terry Stansbury and Mrs. Stansbury.

Pvt. Sterling F. Plank, Scott Field Illinois, is spending a 10-day furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Plank, Gettysburg R. 2.

Mrs. John Ridinger and Miss Irma Crouse, Chambersburg, have returned home after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carver, College campus, and Mrs. Lottie Ridinger, East Middle street.

Weddings

Sanders-Knox

Sergeant Alfred Cletus Sanders, Camp Picket, Virginia, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cletus G. Sanders, Gettysburg, R. D., and Miss Dorothy Jane Knox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Knox, Gettysburg R. D., were married Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock in the rectory of St. Francis Xavier's Catholic church. The Rev. Fr. Norbert Sulkowski, assistant pastor, officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Schackel, Jr., were the attendants. Immediate members of the two families and a few friends were present.

Smith—Topper

Josephine Annie Topper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Topper, York street, and Pvt. John Wallace Smith, son of Mrs. Velva Smith Lamason, Carlisle, were united in marriage at 12:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon at Bennettsville, South Carolina.

The bride wore a navy blue dress with accessories to match. They were unattended. The bridegroom is a paratrooper, stationed at Camp Mackall, North Carolina. Mrs. Smith is a graduate of York Springs high school in 1940.

Grimes—Marshall

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Marshall, Fairfield, announce the marriage of their daughter, Helen Grace, to Pvt. William Grimes, of Camp McCain, Mississippi. Pvt. Grimes is government in power and said the present administration was not Fascist nor even sympathetic with the Axis.

"Argentine sentiment, eminently American, firmly opposed to totalitarian regimes, is on the side of the United Nations in material and spiritual action," he declared.

The ceremony was performed Saturday evening at 8 o'clock by the Rev. Ivan Naugle, pastor of the United Brethren church, Thurmont. The bride wore a victory blue dress with tan accessories and her corsage was of yellow rosebuds.

Plans Ready

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Allied Reserve

In contrast to 1941 when there were never enough troops, planes, guns or bullets to fill the requests of Allies and field commanders, Marshall said that the United States now has a reserve of trained units ready for dispatch to the various theaters as rapidly as shipping becomes available.

It was at the Casablanca conference, he revealed, that the decision was made to capture Sicily, which suggests that later conferences at Washington in May and Quebec in August dealt with objectives far beyond that goal.

Marshall also disclosed that the development of a logistical program and plans for effective military operations received approval of the spring conference here. At that time, moreover, the Allied high command made the historic decision to bomb the Italian railway concentrations at Rome and to raid the Romanian oil refineries at Ploesti, both of which actions were carried out this summer.

The general dealt at length with the effectiveness of strategical bombing of Germany by the American and British air forces. This ceaseless assault, he said, "gives promise of being a decisive factor in the ultimate destruction of the German citadel."

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The general estimated that the Russian Army is now engaging two-thirds of the German Army and one-third of the German air fleet and to this statement he appended a footnote showing that American supplies actually delivered in Russia have included: More than 3,000 airplanes, 2,400 tanks, 109,000 sub-machine guns and 75,000 tons of explosives.

The opening fall meeting of the Friday Afternoon Literary club will be held this week at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Earl J. Bowman, Chambersburg street. The program will be in charge of Mrs. A. R. Wentz.

Mrs. E. S. Lewars, Seminary Ridge, and Miss Nina Storrick, West Lincoln avenue, spent the day in York.

The Tuesday Afternoon Bridge club met this week with Mrs. C. E. Bilheimer, West Broadway. The

ARGENTINA IS REFUSED LEASE LEND MATERIAL

next meeting will be held September 21 at 2:15 p. m. with Mrs. J. I. Burgoon, Springs avenue.

Miss Martha Sachs returned to Wilmington, Delaware, today after spending the summer vacation at her home on Hanover street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shaffer, Somerset, are spending some time with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Snyder, Baltimore street.

Dr. and Mrs. Carl C. Rasmussen and daughter, Mary Elizabeth, Springs avenue, have returned from Fenwick Island, New Jersey, where they spent a month's vacation.

Miss Jeanne Shoop has returned to Riverview, Maryland, after spending the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Shoop, center square.

Washington, Sept. 8 (AP)—Pos-sibly jealous and fearful over the growing power of Brazil, Argentina has asked for—and been firmly refused—American lend-lease materials, including the implements of war.

The request came from the Argentine foreign minister, Vice-Admiral Segundo Storni on August 5 and the flat turndown was released by Secretary of State Hull last night. The exchanges, in which Hull pulled no punches, were made public here and in Buenos Aires.

The Argentine cabinet distributed the messages without comment.

Storni contended Argentina was pro-Ally, though it is the only neutral in the hemisphere. All others have broken off relations with the Axis. He intimated also that his country could be accused of stab-in-the-back tactics if the situation were changed now, likening it to Italy's reversal of form from neutrality to open warfare against France in 1940.

"Eminently American"

Hull shot back that Argentina still is doing business with the Axis, and harbors enemy agents and espionage.

As long as Argentina stays out of the inter-American hemispheric defense setup, it would be folly for the United States to allow this country to have American-produced instruments of war, Hull intimated.

Storni, in his letter, recalled the military coup which placed General Pedro Ramirez' government in power and he said the present administration was not Fascist nor even sympathetic with the Axis.

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Approximately 100 residents of the Mt. Tabor community, led by the Rev. George E. Snyder, recently serenaded Mr. and Mrs. John Marvin Howard, who were married last Friday evening. Cigars and soft drinks were served.

The King's Daughters class of Trinity Lutheran Sunday school, Arendtsville, will meet Friday evening at 8 o'clock with Mrs. Paul Burgoon. Each member is requested to bring a potted plant.

Miss Mildred Osborn, who is employed with the State department in Harrisburg, is spending a week's vacation at her home in Bigerville.

Miss Martha Hollabaugh has accepted a position as operator at the Bigerville Telephone exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hutchinson and daughter, Joan, of Gap, spent Sunday with Mrs. Hutchinson's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lawyer, of Bigerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Barnhart and two sons, of Greencastle, have concluded a visit with Mrs. Barnhart's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Slaybaugh, of Bigerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wagner and son, Gary, of Sunbury, spent the week-end with Mr. Wagner's mother, Mrs. George W. Wagner, of Bigerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thomas, of Johnstown, have been visiting Mrs. Thomas' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bly, of Bendersville.

Prof. and Mrs. Charles L. Yost and daughters, Julia and Margaret, of Bigerville, were recent visitors on the signs. Councilmen themselves held various opinions as to whether the signs were a safeguard or a hazard.

Good Financial Report

The borough began the month with a balance of \$26,772 in the general fund, council learned from the monthly report of Borough Treasurer John H. Baschore. Bills totaling \$4,200 were approved Tuesday evening for payment. Baschore's report showed that borough expenditures for the first eight months amounted to \$21,202, little more than half of the year's budget of \$40,600.

Improvements were ordered to correct drainage conditions at the small bridge on the driveway to the sewage disposal plant after council received a letter from George Sachs.

The new pavement at the Reformed church corner has been completed so council ordered street improvements there to meet the new curbing.

Burgess's Report

A request for a warning sign on Baltimore street south of the Battlefield hotel to give motorists notice of the grade and curve there was referred to the highway committee. Several accidents, one on Monday, have occurred there recently, council was told.

The monthly report of Burgess showed collections of \$393.79 including these items: Roller hire, \$9; building permits, \$10; theater tax, \$372.79, and fines, \$2.

All members of council attended with the exception of Ray M. Hoffman. President Oyler presided with Councilmen Samuel Welker, L. D. Shealer, Joseph D. Kendlehart, George D. March and J. Harry Troxell; Secretary Wilmer Drach; Treasurer Baschore; Burgess Pfeffer, Solicitor Buleit and Mr. Winebrenner in attendance.

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The general dealt at length with the effectiveness of strategical bombing of Germany by the American and British air forces. This ceaseless assault, he said, "gives promise of being a decisive factor in the ultimate destruction of the German citadel."

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Six Major Loop Hurlers May Gain Twenty Triumphs; Tigers Twice Down Chicago

By JUDSON BAILEY

The Associated Press

With the closing of the major league campaign less than four weeks away, the field of potential 20-game winners among the pitchers has narrowed to half a dozen men, two in the American league and four in the National.

This is a big shrinkage from the score or more who were in the running a month ago, but it indicates what a difficult goal 20 victories is for even good pitchers with good clubs and if all six of this year's candidates make the grade it will be two more than last year.

In 1942 the two St. Louis stars, Morton Cooper and rookie Johnny Beazley, won 22 and 21, respectively, in the National league while Cecil (Tex) Hughson of Boston and Ernie Bonham of the New York Yankees won 22 and 21 in the American league.

Cooper Repeater

Of this group only Cooper will be a repeater this year. He has won 19 and lost eight in the Cardinals' sweep toward another pennant. Beazley has entered the Army and Bonham and Hughson have had a lack-lustre season, each winning 12 games to date.

Truett (Rip) Sewell of the Pittsburgh Pirates, proponent of the famed parachute pitch sometimes called the Euphus (nothing) ball, already has won 20 games and lost seven. He was to go after victory No. 21 today against the Cardinals.

Elmer Riddle of the Cincinnati Reds has won 18 and lost nine and Hiram Bithorn, the Puerto Rican righthander of the Chicago Cubs, has won 17 and lost ten. Both have good prospects of hitting 20 before the season ends.

Chandler Leads

In the American league Spurgeon (Spud) Chandler of the Yankees is the nearest thing to a sure shot for 20 with a present record of 18 and three and Paul (Dizzy) Trout of the Detroit Tigers has won 17 and lost ten.

Trott attained his 17th triumph and fifth shutout yesterday as the Tigers took a doubleheader from the Chicago White Sox 5-0 and 6-5.

These games, the only major league action of the day, were postponed from Labor Day and drew a sparse turnout of 5,962 fans. Trout had everything his own way in the opener, spacing seven hits and letting no runner get past second. Michael (Pinky) Higgins and Rudy York hit home runs, the 31st of the year for York, to highlight a tenhit attack on Lefty Edgar Smith.

The Tigers settled the second game by scoring all six of their runs in the third and fourth innings, but had to smother a three-run uprising by the Sox in the ninth to win. Detroit used four pitchers, although Chicago made only seven hits.

Another light schedule was on tap today, three games in the National and none in the American.

BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Tuesday's Results

(No games scheduled.)

Standing of the Teams

	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	87	44	.664
Cincinnati	72	58	.554
Brooklyn	70	59	.543
Pittsburgh	70	65	.519
Chicago	61	69	.469
Boston	56	68	.452
Philadelphia	57	72	.442
New York	45	83	.352

Today's Schedule

Philadelphia at New York.

Pittsburgh at St. Louis.

Boston at Brooklyn.

(Only games scheduled.)

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Tuesday's Results

Detroit, 5-6; Chicago, 0-5.

("Other teams not scheduled.)

Standing of the Teams

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	80	49	.620
Cleveland	68	59	.535
Washington	71	62	.534
Detroit	68	60	.531
Chicago	66	63	.512
Boston	62	69	.473
St. Louis	58	71	.450
Philadelphia	44	84	.344

Today's Schedule

(No games scheduled.)

Eastern League

(By The Associated Press)

With the battle for the 1943 Eastern league pennant already decided in favor of the Scranton club, the closing days of the current season will be devoted to fights among five other clubs for the three remaining places in the first division—and the opportunity to participate in the Governor's cup playoffs.

The Hartford Laurels, currently in the runnerup position after a spectacular spurt from sixth place in less than a month, will play at Elmira tonight in what is expected to be a top-notch contest. The Pioneers are but a half game behind the Laurels.

Albany is expected to wage a stiff fight at Wilkes-Barre tonight to retain its fourth place. The Barons, only a half game behind the Senators, can move into the first division by capturing the scheduled doubleheader.

The Springfield Rifles, who have no chance to enter the play-offs, will be at Binghamton, while cellar-dwelling Utica will be at Scranton. No games were scheduled in the loop yesterday.

Fights Last Night

(By The Associated Press)

Washington—John Garner, 160, Washington, won over Steve Makaros, 158, Washington by a technical knockout (7).

Curtisville Wins Jr. Legion Title

New Kensington, Pa., Sept. 8 (AP)

Curtisville won the state Junior American Legion Baseball championship Monday after Billy Herstek pitched an 11-inning, one-hit game in the third and deciding game of the series with Reading. Curtisville won, 1 to 0.

Herstek wasn't far ahead of Reading's Patton, however, who gave up but two hits in the mound duel. One of those was Pete Colpo's long single in the 11th, with Bobich on second. Bobich had walked and advanced another base on an infield out.

Reading's only scoring chance came in the first half of the final frame when players were camped on first and second with but one out. A double play stopped them.

Reading won the first game, 16 to 4, and Curtisville the second, last Saturday, 5 to 0, to tie the series.

SPORT SHORTS

By HAROLD CLAASSEN

New York, Sept. 8 (AP)—Michigan and Northwestern have drawn all the Big Ten football rave notices—but don't forget Purdue.

The Boilermakers, who won only one game last year and were able to score but four touchdowns all season, are loaded. Coach Elmer Burnham has a guard roster listing 15 men, six of whom won letters at five different colleges in the past.

Top among the Navy and Marine contributions is Alex Agase, the punt blocking stalwart at Illinois last season.

The club is every bit as deep in material at center and tackle.

In contrast is the wo of Wally Butts, headman of the Georgia Bulldogs.

Six members of his Rose Bowl championship team still are on the campus but can't be used because they are Army trainees.

Oddities also have crept into the roster of the National football league.

Franklin Sinkwich, Georgia's 1942 all-American back, confers with the Detroit Lions bosses Sunday concerning a contract after getting a medical discharge from the Marines.

Max Partin, wounded in the Tunisian campaign and since released by the Army, is trying for a berth with the Philadelphia-Pittsburgh combine.

And Red Roberts, a Washington Redskin backfield candidate, twice was on ships that were torpedoed and once spent 14 hours on a raft before being rescued.

Biglerville High Starts Grid Drills

Approximately 30 boys reported to Coach Roger Smith at Biglerville high school Tuesday afternoon to begin football drills. Included in the group were a number of lettermen.

Coach Smith gave his squad a blackboard lecture and explained the fundamentals of the game. A short passing drill was held. Physical examinations were expected to be completed today.

These sailors are much more concerned about the Navy's seven-game "world series" which opens Sunday between the rival Norfolk Naval Training station and the Norfolk Naval Air Station.

The sailors boast such pitchers as Freddie Hutchinson of the Detroit Tigers before he joined up with Uncle Sam; Charley Wagner, Boston Red Sox, and Tom Earley, Boston Braves. Besides these, they have little Phil Rizzuto, ex-Yankee shortstop; Dominic DiMaggio, Boston Red Sox outfielder; Benny McCoy, Philadelphia Athletics second baseman; Eddie Robinson, who would be playing first for Cleveland if; Don Padgett, St. Louis Cardinals outfielder, and Vincent Smith, Pittsburgh catcher.

The Airmen may not have so many former major leaguers, but they have a pretty nifty bunch of ball players. Their No. 1 pitcher is chunky Hugh Casey, once the pride of the Brooklyn Dodger relief staff, who hurled a no-hit, no-run game against the neighboring sailors.

Besides Casey, the Airmen boast one of baseball's top-flight shortstops in Pee Wee Reese, also a former Dodger. The two clubs have met 34 times. The sailors won 24, the Airmen 18 and there was one tie.

MINOR LEAGUE RESULTS

(By The Associated Press)

International League

Newark 2, Jersey City 1. (Second game postponed.)

Toronto 5, Buffalo 4.

Baltimore 7, Syracuse 5.

Only game scheduled.

American Association

Toledo 9-7, Columbus 4-4.

Kansas City 4-0, Milwaukee 1-8.

Minneapolis 9-3, St. Paul 4-9.

(Second game, 10 innings.)

Indianapolis 9, Louisville 1.

HOBOES WOULD KEEP GIRLS HOME

Seattle, Sept. 8 (AP)—Asserting that thousands of girls are roving the country, often becoming stranded, the Hoboes of America convention adopted a resolution urging that no train or bus tickets be sold to girls or minors unless they have parents' written permission to travel.

Washington, D. C., was chosen for next year's convention.

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WOOD, DEMARET LINK CHAMPS

Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 8 (AP)

The country's top-notch pros headed for a series of exhibitions and challenge matches Tuesday after winding up their last summer tournament of the season—the Golden Valley Invitational best-ball matches which projected a new team to the front—Craig Wood and Jimmy Demaret.

Wood, the 1941 "duration" U. S. Open champion, who probably will be called upon to defend his crown after the war at the Interlachen course here, and Demaret, the colorful "19th hole crooner," pulled down the Golden Valley championship and \$1,200 in war bonds yesterday.

They won a total of 12 holes through the 126-hole Marathon of round-robin match play against seven other outstanding twosomes. On the system of scoring, they finished with a plus 12 rating.

his major league career. Then he'll probably be ready to join the only other 200 game winners in the league, Carl Hubbell and Freddie Fitzsimmons—on the bench. . . .

Don't worry too much about those "outclassed" civilian footballers at Big Ten colleges. Minnesota has a 6-foot, 7-inch tackle named Don Bunge who is too big for the Army and Ohio State's Ray Stackhouse, a mere 230-pound freshman, seems to have clinched a first-string tackle job. . . . A Pittsburgh radio station is dickering with Fritzie Zivic for a 15-minute sports program . . . but who could stop Fritzie's talking after only 15 minutes?

TODAY'S GUEST STAR

Jack Charvat, Tulsa (Okla.) Tribune: "Notice to barbers or razor salesmen: Stay out of Stillwater. There's no business for you in that town. . . . at least as far as finding potential customers on the Oklahoma Aggies football team is concerned. They are all beardless youngsters."

SAILORS' SERIES OPENS MONDAY

By ROBERT MOORE

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 8 (AP)—Don't be asking a sailor around this naval base whether he thinks the St. Louis Cardinals or the New York Yankees will win the World Series because you won't get a satisfactory answer.

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An Evening Thought
The most acceptable service of
God is doing good to man.

—Franklin

Mummasburg

Mummasburg. — Sergeant Edgar
Bowling, who had been stationed at
Nashville, Tennessee, is spending his
furlough at the home of his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bowling and
other friends. He has been transferred
to Camp Phillips, Kansas.Pic. John Raymond Mickley, who
spent a short furlough at the home of
his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John
Mickley, has returned to his post at
Camp Kitty Hawk, North Carolina.Mrs. Minnie Houck and Mrs.
Elisabeth Deardorff, of Ashton Mills,
Media, were dinner guests of Mrs.
Florence Wilson Friday.Miss Stella Lister and Mrs. Elisabeth
Deardorff, of Media, recently
spent time visiting Mrs. Minnie
Houck at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Guy Hartman.Mrs. Chester Shue has gone to
join her husband who is stationed at
Miami Beach, Florida. He is in the
air corps.Sterling Shue, who had been on
maneuvers in Tennessee, is home on a
furlough and had as a Friday visitor
at the home of his uncle and
aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Shue,
another nephew of the Shues,
Adriel Keener, who is stationed at
Camp Phillips, Kansas.New York state has about 800
miles of navigable ocean, lake and
river waterways.Dr. C. G. Crist
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News and advertisements from Aspers, Arendtsville, Bendersville, Biglerville, Fairfield, Gardners and Orrtanna on pages four and five

Worst Drought In 17 Years
In Upper Adams County May
Bring Big '44 Apple CropThe greatest drought in seventeen
years was experienced in upper
Adams county this summer, accord-
ing to the records of the Arendts-
ville experimental laboratory.Scientists at the laboratory, how-
ever, looked forward to the pos-
sibility that the drought may cause,
next year, the greatest apple pro-
duction the county has ever seen.They pointed out that one of the
laws of nature is that plant, or
tree, when it is faced with extinc-
tion, puts forth every effort to
reproduce itself.As a result of that law, the apple
trees during this summer produced
a larger amount of buds than in any
previous year because the drought
was the greatest. Given proper
weather during this coming winter
and next summer the blossoms will
probably develop into a bumper
crop.

Set Heat Record, Too

Only 5.56 inches of rain fell dur-
ing June, July and August, and most
of that in the form of light showers,
Harold Steiner, weather observer at
the laboratory, reported today.Because of the lightness of the show-
ers the amount of rain was less
valuable than the 4.65 inches that
fell in the form of earth soaking
rains in those months in 1930, the
smallest amount of rain that has
fallen in the county in 17 summers.The drought produced a condition
in which the apple harvest could
be seriously hurt by heavy rains.
A tremendous amount of nitrates
have accumulated in the soil as the
result of the dry weather and too
much rain now would send too much
nitrate into the trees, pushing the
apples ahead faster than they
should and causing a large amount
of splitting.If the weather continues dry dur-
ing the fall it may produce an
abundance of peaches next year as
well as apples. The peach blossoms
do not form until fall and if the
trees are starved for water the blos-
soms will be produced in greater
abundance for the same reason as
the apples.

Temperatures Compared

Only June hit the top rung for hot
months, with its 75.3 degree mean
temperature the highest ever
recorded. The hottest day in June
was on the 25th when the tempera-
ture soared to 97 degrees, the cold-
est day was the 30th when a reading
of 51 degrees was recorded. That
figure was one of the lowest summer
temperatures ever recorded at
Arendtsville.July's 74.6 average temperature
was bested by 1930's 77.7. And
August's 74.6 mean temperature was
lower than the 75.9 for August re-
corded in 1930.

Wettest Summer in '28

While the rainfall and maximum
temperature have varied greatly
during the last 17 years, the mean
average temperature for the last 16
summers has varied only by 4 de-
grees, and for the 17 years by only
6 degrees.The coldest summer was 1927, start
of the records when a mean
average temperature of 68.6 was re-
corded. In 1928 the summer tem-
perature average jumped to 71.9 and
the temperatures have never
dropped below 70 since that time.Three summers, 1931, 1937 and 1943,
have had temperatures in the 74-
degree classification. Two summershad temperatures as high as 75.9 for
August recorded in 1930.After 1939, however, when only
7.61 inches of rain fell, the treeshave hit the 73-degree mark, 1934
and 1939. Temperatures in the 72
bracket were recorded in 1930, 1932,
1933, 1935, 1936, 1938, 1941 and 1942;
while 71-degree summers were re-
corded in 1928, 1929 and a 70-degree
summer occurred in 1940.The number of cloudy days in
the months varies from 13 in 1929
to 24 in 1940 and 1937. Clear days
ranged from 64 in 1935 to 35 in
1942. The wettest year recorded
was in 1928 when 22.10 inches of
rain fell, about 10 inches more than
normal for the season. Second
wettest year was 1942 when 20.77
inches fell.

Summer Summaries

The summary for June, July and
August for the last 17 years follows:

Year	Avg. Temp.	High Temp.	Low Temp.	Total Rain. fall	Clear Days
1927	68.6	96	43	14.57	46
1928	71.9	96	47	22.10	52
1929	71.7	98	42	6.45	53
1930	72.8	100	38	4.65	63
1931	74.6	101	45	11.61	59
1932	72.4	98	37	9.46	60
1933	72.9	99	39	17.27	55
1934	73.8	101	43	14.51	56
1935	72.0	96	45	13.97	64
1936	72.7	102	44	13.43	63
1937	74.4	98	46	16.82	50
1938	72.4	98	40	14.14	57
1939	73.4	96	48	7.61	45
1940	70.3	97	41	13.11	37
1941	72.1	100	45	10.67	50
1942	72.8	95	45	20.77	35
1943	74.8	99	46	5.56	61

Other Records

The coldest June on record was
in 1927 when a mean temperature
of 65.3 was recorded; the coldest
July was in 1939 when the average
temperature was only 73 degrees and
the coldest August was in 1927 when
the average mercury mark was 67.2
degrees.The hottest day in 17 years was
August 4, 1930, when the mercury
went to 106 and nearly everybody
in Adams county took the afternoon
off. The year 1930 also took credit
for having the coldest summer daywith the thermometer dropping to
38 on June 1. The driest month
on record was July, 1930, when only
1.17 inches of rain fell and the sec-
ond lowest amount of rainfall oc-
curred in August of that year when
0.92 inches of rain fell. By far the
wettest month of the 17 years was
August, 1933, when the rainfall was
11.51 inches. There were only 13
clear days during that month. Sec-
ond wettest was June, 1938, when
11.04 inches fell during the 16
cloudy days. August, 1940, and the
same month in 1942 had the least
clear days with only nine days in
each month found to be cloudless.Faulkner believes that plowing is
responsible for erosion and most of
the other evils of the U. S. soil. He
tested his theory by using a cultiva-
tion method of his own. Instead
of plowing he disc-harrowed the soil
and planted his crops in the chopped
up surface stubble, weeds and debris.
His harvest was astonishing, Will
William G. Ewald, who tried the
idea on an experimental group of
15 tomato plants found the plants
between six and seven feet tall,
using stakes to hold up the plants,
and one of them has 36 tomatoes
on it.

Explains Advantages

Mr. Faulkner, who is a Kentucky
farmer's son, for many years a
county agent and agriculture
teacher, claims he has asked farmers
for 25 years why they plow and has
never gotten a scientific answer.Most farmers plow, Faulkner asserts,
because they like to, or because they
have always plowed," just as their
grandfather did before them.""Why," asked Faulkner, "is it that
when crops in a plowed field become
parched and yellow, the weeds in
unplowed adjoining fencerows still
still have a few peaches. A few
growers however were in the midst
of the last part of their harvest.Apples were being harvested in
most orchards with the main har-
vest scheduled to start in the near
future with the bulk of the fruit
ripening late this month and in
October.Reports on the number of bushels of
peaches handled by the larger
growers and packers were being se-
cured by the Gettysburg Times
with an estimate of the amount of
the crop to be published within the
next few days.Pvt. Junior H. Beard now re-
ceives his mail in care of the post-
master at Los Angeles, California.Pvt. William E. Topper has been
transferred to Drew Field, Tampa,
Florida.Cpl. Clark E. Spence now receives
his mail with Co. B, 905th F. A. Bn.,
APO 80, c/o postmaster, Nashville,
Tennessee.A-S Max Sherman is with Co.
1285, U.S.N.T.S., Great Lakes, Illi-
nois.PFC Charles R. Oyler is now with
Co. 4, 801st S.T.R., Camp Murphy,
Florida.Pvt. Joseph B. Weaver has been
assigned to the 553rd M.P.E.G. Co.,
1st Training Regt., Ft. Custer, Mich-
igan.It has been physically impossible
to see each and every voter in the
county personally and by these
means I am asking for your support
at the Republican Primaries, Tues-
day, September 14, 1943.

The Almanac

SEPTEMBER

8—Sun rises 6:32; sets 7:23.

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Moon sets in evening.

Moon Phases

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September 13—Full Moon.

September 21—Last Quarter.

September 29—New Moon.

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from the farms of Adams county?That question was propounded to-
day to a number of county farmers
who listened cautiously to a report
on the findings of Edward H. Faulkner,
former Ohio farm agent and now an
experimental farmer who believes
the "plow is the great enemy
of man" and backs up his argument
with findings from his experimental
farm. High officials of the national
Department of Agriculture in turn
back Faulkner's argument that the
plow causes more damage than it
does good.The county farmers approached
on Faulkner's idea however, usually
responded with: "Those crazy
professors certainly do go off the beam
every so often don't they?"

A Book on the Subject

Or being informed that far from
being a professor, Faulkner was a
county agent and is now a farmer,
the county residents shook their
heads wonderingly and remarked
that even the best of farmers sometimes
go "off the deep end."The "deep end" off which Faulkner
has plunged however seemed to
have the approval, in general, of
officials of the U. S. Department of
Agriculture. A book he has written
on the subject, "Plowman's Folly,"
has been published by the University
of Oklahoma Press.The results, Faulkner says came
about quickly. In 24 hours every
plant stood up straight and strong.
When harvest time came his to-
matoes were heavier than average,
and brought premium prices. The
packed soil planting saved a lot of
time, Faulkner adds. He grew sweet
potatoes in two months instead
of the normal four and he harvested
five pickings of beans instead of
the usual one or two.

Use "Stubble Mulch"

There is one objection to his plan,
Faulkner says, the "bearded soil is
harder to handle than plowed soil,"
but he says, "let the machinery

Interesting News Of Upper Adams Countians And Their Enterprises

County's Largest Poultry Producer Has Flock Of 11,000 Laying Hens; Has Turkeys Too

If Roy H. Heckenluber had not undertaken a cow testing course he probably would not have become Adams county's largest poultry producer.

Strange as it may seem, the upper countian confesses that the cow testing work started him off on a career of poultry that in less than 20 years has enlarged until now 11,000 laying hens, and 5,000 turkeys roam the ranges on the two farms he owns near Arendtsville.

Too Much Fertilizer

The chickens and turkeys keep his orchards in fertilizer and in addition he sells between 300 and 500 tons of manure a year to nearby farmers. The Summit poultry and fruit farm owner has a story to tell about too much manure:

In 1936 he purchased an "old run-down farm that wouldn't grow anything," and decided to put it in an orchard. He employed ten after ton of the manure on the 12-acre peach orchard and soon found there could be too much of a good thing.

The trees grew so fast that in a short time they were nearly useless as fruit trees. All fertilizer was cut out for three years and the trees then came through in good shape.

Cutting Turkey Crop

About three years ago he tried his hand at turkeys. By last year the number of turkeys raised on the farm was 8,000 but this year on account of the feed situation he has dropped the number to 5,000. This spring he hatched 150,000 turkey chicks and sold most of them locally.

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Eight full time helpers are needed to assist in running the farm. One of the men does nothing but haul water to the ranges. He has two large tank trucks and it takes 3,000 gallons a month to quench the thirst of the chickens and turkeys.

Grows Fruit, Too

Besides the chickens and turkeys there is not another animal on the place, with all of the heavy work being done by "jalopy" trucks, 14 of which are to be found on the two farms. The "jalopies" are old passenger cars with the body cut off and replaced by a wooden, flat bottom chassis. The driver sits on a plow seat fastened on two two-by-fours.

Besides the poultry, much of the farm is also devoted to fruit. He has 18 acres of peach, 20 acres of apples and 10 of cherries on the farms.

The biggest job the men on the farm ever handled took place during the present summer when cholera struck at the flock wiping out 2,500 of the chickens before it was halted. For three days and nights six of the men worked inoculating the surviving pullets.

Expansion After War
Each one of the 11,000 chickens had to be picked up and a hypodermic needle inserted with the serum. While the work proceeded, many of the birds succumbed to the disease. One morning they found 105 chickens killed by the cholera.

The disease was the first that had ever hit the Summit farms and the inoculations soon stopped its spread.

DIVE FRACTURES NECK

Pittsburgh, Sept. 8 (AP)—A broken neck suffered when he dived into two feet of water in the Keystone Hotel swimming pool caused the death of Edwin Swartz Monday night in Montefiore hospital.

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Orchard Sprayers Can Fight Fires

A new way to put rural fires out in less than a minute has been suggested by Professor J. R. Haswell, of the agricultural engineering extension department at the Pennsylvania State College.

Orchard spray guns, potato sprayers, or knapsack sprayers may be used as fire-fighting equipment with good results, he said. With the nozzle of the gun set for a fog-mist spray, the fine mist absorbs the heat, acts like a wet blanket to smother the flames, and puts out the fire very quickly.

Although the sprayer may be used for any fire, it is of particular advantage in a hot hay mow where the fog will extinguish the fire without wetting down the total mow.

Color movies showing the sprayer in action and other features in farm fire prevention are available through the county Agricultural Extension offices of the Pennsylvania State college.

Build Calf Pens
Dry, warm, well-ventilated pens are needed for best growth and development of dairy calves, remind dairy specialists of the Pennsylvania State College. Slatted floors often will change a pen that has had a cold, damp floor into one that is warm and dry. Use individual pens for young calves.

Make Good Silage
Experiments show that corn in the denting stage makes silage of the highest feeding value content. This year when grain is hard to get for livestock feeding, agronomists and feed specialists of the Pennsylvania State College suggest that corn be cut for silage when it will produce the most.

Provide Convenient Housing
A satisfactory house for laying hens will provide comfort for the birds, supply equipment to promote feed consumption and egg production, and help to save labor, say poultry specialists of the Pennsylvania State College.

Wheat Yields Best
In 10 of the 11 wheat variety demonstrations conducted by the agricultural extension service of the Pennsylvania State College this year, Thorne was the best yielder, averaging 3.7 bushels an acre above the next best variety, Nured.

The short course and conference are expected to be unusually helpful this year because of certain feed shortages which have made it difficult to prepare satisfactory poultry rations.

In addition to nutrition problems, the usual attention will be given to hatching, brooding, care and marketing of eggs and meat birds, and the control of poultry pests.

Ask Beekeepers To Save Beeswax

Besides providing a substitute for rationed sugar, Adams county's beekeepers may add another war service from the hives on their farms—protecting airplane motors from the action of sea water.

According to E. J. Anderson, bee specialist from Pennsylvania State college, "Because beeswax is finer and more impervious to water than paraffin, it is used to protect airplane motors against the action of sea water, to protect and lubricate shells, and for electric cables." Because more wax is needed than the bees can produce, he urged that old wax be salvaged by saving scraps, cutting combs, killing the wax moth and collecting wax from hives which are no longer used.

FORMER EDITOR DIES

Wexford, Pa., Sept. 8 (AP)—Funeral services for Howard L. Dolde, former Chess editor for the Pittsburgh Post-Gazette and Western Pennsylvania Chess champion in 1930, were held Tuesday at Perryville. He died Saturday.

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MORE NITROGEN, LESS POTASH IS NOW PREDICTED

Out Of The Past
From the Files of the Star and Sentinel and The Gettysburg Times

FIFTY YEARS AGO

Local Miscellany: C. H. Klepper has been appointed P. M. at Brysonia.

The District Conference and Sunday School convention will meet on the 13th instant at St. Paul's A. M. Church, Washington street.

Photographer Tipton has a fine new wagon, built by C. J. Spalding.

Waynesboro won a game of ball from the local team on Saturday by a score of 13 to 10. Wretched playing by the home team in the seventh inning when the score was 9 to 3 in their favor, lost the game.

Hon. Edward McPherson is repainting the brick work of the building occupied by Skelly & Warner, and Mumper & Co.

There will be Harvest Home services in the Reformed church at Fairfield next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. The church will be re-opened on this occasion.

The reopening service of Centre Mills' U. S. church will take place Sept. 10th.

Don't fail to attend the Cotillion

Picnic of the Daughters of Liberty in Wible's Grove on next Saturday, dancing until 10 p. m.

Marriages: Knous-Miller. Sept. 7, at Arendtsburg, by Rev. D. T. Koser. John A. Knous to Miss Emma K. Miller, both of Franklin township.

McGaughey-Flickinger. Sept. 7th, at Hanover, by Rev. J. D. Peters, Hugh McGaughey, of New Oxford, and Miss Kate H. Flickinger, of Hanover.

Raffensperger-Funk. Aug. 24, at the home of the bride, by Rev. J. C. Weldner, Philip H. Raffensperger, of Tyrone township, to Miss Lillie E. Funk, of Butler township.

Scott-Heagy. Sept. 7, in this place, by Rev. T. J. Barkley, George Scott, of this place, to Miss Rachel Sarah A. Heagy, of Cumberland township.

Starry-Funk. Aug. 27, by Rev. George Winand, Calvin W. Starry, of Huntington township, to Miss Jennie Funk, of Butler township.

Weikert-Hankey. Sept. 6, by J. F. Klingel, Esq., Amos Weikert, of Cumberland township, to Miss Maggie A. E. Hankey, of Frederick Co., Md.

Fairfield: The favored gentlemen of Fairfield and vicinity were very agreeably surprised when they received invitations to attend a soiree on Wednesday evening at the home of C. J. Sefton. The invitations were sent out by orders of the L. M. A., a delightful little society composed of ladies of the village and a few from the country. One of the features of the evening was a peanut hunt. Mr. Will Neely received the first prize; a scarf pin. Miss Bessie Neely obtained the booby prize, a nicely decorated corn cob.

The ladies were: Misses Flora and Mattie Witherow, Bessie and Mamie Neely, Hattie McCreary, Lucy Paxton, Margaret Marshall and Nannie and Jessie Sefton. The gentlemen were: Messrs. A. G. Hilleary, Howard Musselman, Will McCreary, J. R. Weily, Will and Lowry Hill, Percy Sullivan and Will and Horace Neely.

Removed: H. C. Picking, has removed his office to No. 20 Baltimore street with Charles E. Stahle, Esq.

Personal Mention: William G. Young and family, of Martinsburg, Pa., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob B. Young, the past week.

R. E. Wible, Esq., went to the World's Fair last Thursday.

Miss Elizabeth Mertz is home visiting her mother.

William Arch McClean, Esq., has a story entitled "Through a Snow Drift," in this month's "St. Nicholas." It is prettily illustrated.

Charles F. Young has sold his large painting of Meade's Headquarters to George Alfred Townsend, the well-known newspaper correspondent.

Dr. J. W. C. O'Neal and daughters, Misses Annie and Virginia, started for Chicago on Tuesday morning.

Mr. D. L. Plank and daughter, Sabilla, left for the west on Tuesday morning. On their return they will take in the World's Fair and Niagara Falls.

Miss May B. Codori has returned from the World's Fair and Milwaukee.

William F. Codori and sister Rose have gone to the World's Fair. On their return they will spend a few days at Niagara Falls, Lake Geneva and Watkin's Glen.

Will Blocher is home from Washington, D. C., on his vacation.

Jacob Remmell has returned from Washington, D. C., on his vacation.

Messrs. John Cox and John Tudor, Jr., of Latimore township, are taking in the sights of the World's Fair.

Misses Lillie and Lula Chritzman have returned from their visit to Westminster and Union Bridge.

George D. Thorn was one of the tellers at the Republican convention.

George L. Deardorff was on the committee on permanent organization.

The Rev. Daniel Toy, a Baptist minister of New York city, who preached recently in New Oxford, is a native of New Chester.

Miss Eva Barnes will resume her class in vocal and instrumental music September 4th. All who desire lessons will please call at her home in Center Square.

FORMER STATE DEPT. WORKER SCORES BUREAU

Washington, Sept. 8 (AP)—A week of innuendo, charge and counter-charge swirling around the State department wound up Saturday with a new batch of criticism aimed from within the Administration itself by an official who quit in sharply-worded protest.

James D. Lebron, former Des Moines Iowa, newspaperman, resigned as director of the food supply division under Nelson Rockefeller, coordinator of Inter-American affairs. He abided by President Roosevelt's orders that anyone who wants to air criticism of the Administration publicly should accompany it with his resignation.

Lebron flatly charged the State department with "interference, obstruction and unintelligent dictation." He said in a letter to Rockefeller that he was "unwilling longer to beat my head against the wall of incompetence and interference."

Work Blocked

Lebron, a close associate of Vice President Wallace, was assigned to increasing Latin-American food output to help the overall needs of the United Nations. He contended:

1. That "interference" from the State department had been going on since his division was created.

2. Various officials, some in only minor positions, were able to "harass and block our work because of divided authority, lack of administrative organization and want of directive policy in the State department."

3. In the face of Congressional appropriations backing up the work of the division, and the support of South American governments, some of the Secretary of State's aides undertook "to tell us how many and what sort of agricultural experts we may send to countries with which we have agreements and hence obligations."

Lebron added that the State department's division of economic operations held up confirmation of an agreement with Paraguay for six weeks after it had been negotiated and another with Nicaragua had been blocked for three months after it had been signed.

Earlier this week Secretary Hull was accused by Columnist Drew Pearson of having anti-Russian sentiments which Hull promptly called "monstrous and diabolical." President Roosevelt called Pearson a "chronic liar" in his column. The incident evolved around the status of Undersecretary Sumner Welles reported as resigning over policy differences with Hull.

Just Folks

By Edgar A. Guest

WEEKS AFTER

They waited to announce his death. As if a week or two could spare The hurt of it, the sobbing breath. Or ease the grief his friends must bear.

They knew it on the day he fell. They had his name upon the list. But waited first his kin to tell, As if by us he'd not be missed.

Then "died in action" came the word.

From some grim station far away, And when the news of it we heard There was not much that we could say.

But loss is grief, however old, And time won't stay the tears we shed.

Though months go by before we're told.

Who loved him living, mourn him dead.

THE NEAR-BY JOYS

These things I know, for I have seen:

How lovely can be gardens small! How calm and cool that lawn of green.

Where evening's length'ning shadows fall.

I know the heart can be beguiled Of every sting and ache of care

By the sweet laughter of a child That races through some gladness there.

Of this I'm sure: of all desire No greater favor life bestows Than friends to share our food and fire.

When the harsh wind of winter blows.

And this I know: men never find On earth, however far they roam, A truer source of peace of mind Than that which marks the bounds of home.

HIT-RUN VICTIM

Greensburg, Pa., Sept. 8 (AP)—Struck by a hit-run driver while walking along the Madison-Yukon road, Clifford Kemell, 38, of Hunker R. D. 2, was killed almost instantly Monday, State Police reported.

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Farmers Eligible For Feed Loans

Farmers in this section whose feed crops have been reduced because of the drought may obtain loans up to \$400.00 for the purchase of feed for livestock, it is reported by Field Supervisor R. O. Westbrook of the Emergency Crop and Feed Loan Office at Harrisburg.

Loans for the seeding of small grain and other crops are available to farmers of Adams county. Applications may be made for crop and feed loans which are made on a 4 per cent interest basis and mature in August of next year.

Since invasion of France across the English channel is one of the paramount issues of the moment, I think we must place among the foremost of the developments an announcement in the Washington Evening Star. The Star's foreign affairs writer, Constantine Brown, says he learns on the highest authority that General George C. Marshall, U. S. Chief of Staff, will be named commander in chief of any Allied invasion of the continent from England.

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

This past long week-end has been a notable one for Allied arms around the world.

So goes the story on the eastern front until we have a composite picture of the great Nazi army being steadily beaten back along the entire 600 miles of the German right flank. The situation of the Hitlerites is indeed serious. Unless they are able to stem the Russian onslaught they will be in danger of a debacle as they continue to withdraw their unwieldy line towards the defenses of the Dnieper.

Perhaps the autumn rains, which are about due, may intervene to give the Germans a chance to pull their badly mauled line together. But then will come the cold weather to freeze the ground, and the attacks will be resumed again.

20,000 Japs Trapped

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Twenty thousand of the enemy have been caught in a vice which is closing to annihilate them.

This is a highly important action, for New Guinea lies just off the northeast coast of Australia and is one of the Nipponese bases which have held a great threat over the continent.

Should the Allies be able to carry out this most dangerous and difficult of all operations this year, the Nazis will have a very, very unhappy Christmas.

Fitting this announcement like a glove is the news of the continued Red advance against the Nazi right wing. Soviet forces are smashing at the gates of the big industrial city of Lae and Salamaua are 18 miles apart on the south-eastern tip of New Guinea.

Allied success continued in Italy.

British and Canadian forces moved steadily inland from their forty-mile beachhead, overrunning about a dozen villages in yesterday's operations.

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40 Ford 2-dr. Sedan, Black
40 Ford 2-dr. Sedan, Black
39 Ford Sedan, R&H, Black
39 Chevrolet Master Sedan, R&H
39 Plymouth 2-dr. Sedan, R&H, Green
39 Plymouth 2-dr. Sedn. 4 pre-war tires
39 Plymouth 2-dr. Sedn. Recond., low mileage

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38 Willys 4-dr. Sedn. Reconditioned
37 Ford 2-dr. Sedn. Reconditioned
37 Ford 2-dr. Sedn., "66", low mileage
37 Plymouth 2-dr. Sedan, Trunk, Blue
36 Ford 2-dr. Sedn., Radio, Heater
35 Chevrolet 4-dr. Sedn., Black
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**Boys Feared "Chair,"
Concealed Drowning**

Pittsburgh, Sept. 8 (AP)—Fear they would "get the electric chair" caused two schoolboys to withhold for 24 hours the knowledge that their companion, John Holzapfel, 12, had drowned Monday evening in the Ohio river.

Only when Mrs. Holzapfel, frantic with worry over her son's disappearance

questioned the boys closely did they break their pledge of eternal silence and tell how and where John died.

The youngster dived into the water, reappeared on the surface, then went down again and was seen no more, they said.

"We were afraid to tell anybody about it," said one of the boys. "We were afraid if we said anything we'd get the electric chair."

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710K-WOR-422M.

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